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RHODE ISLAND CELEBRATES ARCHAEOLOGY MONTH IN OCTOBER

Rhode Island's State Historic Preservation Officer, Edward F. Sanderson, is pleased to announce that Rhode Island will join the list of U.S. states that celebrate Archaeology Month in October. The Rhode Island Historical Preservation and Heritage Commission (RIHPHC) has organized a wide-ranging program of events, providing the public with opportunities to learn about our state's rich archeological heritage directly from the professional and academic researchers who are making the latest discoveries. Topics will include Native American lifeways, colonial period settlements, and historic shipwrecks.

For a complete list of the 13 Rhode Island Archaeology Month events, visit the RIHPHC website, www.preservation.ri.gov. All of the events that take place in Rhode Island are free and open to the public.

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